Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Friday 30 Apr 2021 until 23:59 on Saturday 01 May 2021

Forecast Issued on Thursday 29 Apr 2021 at 14:56

Confidence: High for sunny spells and showers until Sunday with wet and windy weather on Monday.

Headline for Friday 30 Apr 2021: Sunny spells with scattered showers, chilly overnight.

Mountain weather hazards on Friday 30 Apr 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Light snow showers	Light snow showers	Light snow showers	Light snow showers	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
20%	20%	20%	30%	30%	30%	30%	10%

Forecast for Friday 30 Apr 2021

Weather: Another rather cold day with sunny spells and showers, these falling as snow above 700m. Best of the sunshine is likely first thing with skies often cloudier by the afternoon. Dry, clear and cold overnight.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100% becoming 70% by mid-morning.

Visibility: Generally very good but deteriorating on hill tops in showers and as clouds develop at 700-1000m covering hill tops at times in the morning and evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	10/13 NE	8/11 NE	9/12 E	7/11 E	8/12 E	10/14 N	9/12 NE	6/9 NE	6/9 E
600	5/7 E	4/7 NE	8/11 E	6/10 E	7/11 NE	10/14 N	8/12 NE	5/8 E	6/8 E
300	3/7 E	4/7 E	5/10 E	5/9 E	6/11 E	9/14 N	8/13 NE	3/6 E	4/7 E
Valley	3/6 E	4/6 E	5/9 E	5/9 NE	7/12 E	9/15 N	8/13 N	3/5 E	4/6 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	-1/-5	-2/-6	-1/-6	0/-3	1/-3	2/-2	1/-3	-0/-4	-1/-4
600	2/-1	0/-2	1/-2	3/0	3/1	4/1	3/0	2/-1	2/-1
300	4/2	2/1	3/1	6/4	6/4	7/4	6/3	4/2	3/1
Valley	5/4	4/2	5/3	7/6	7/5	8/5	7/4	5/4	5/4
Freezing Level*	800m	700m	700m	700m	700m	700m	700m	700m	700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

During cloudier periods it will feel quite cold, particularly if you get caught in a shower and on hill tops exposed to the north easterly breeze.

Forecast for Saturday 01 May 2021

Weather: A chilly and bright start with some patches of fog in valleys. Sunny spells and showers through the day, these will continue to fall as snow above 800m until midday when all showers will turn to rain or sleet. Cold in showers and in cloudier periods but pleasant in the sunshine. Overnight it will be another clear, dry and cold night.

Maximum wind: Northerly gusts of up to 15mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100% becoming 70% by mid-morning.

Visibility: Generally very good but deteriorating on hill tops in showers and as clouds develop at 700-1000m covering hill tops at times in the morning and evening. Poor in valleys first thing in fog or mist.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius becoming Plus 9 Celsius.
At 800m: Minus 1 Celsius becoming Plus 3 Celsius
Freezing level: 700m becoming 1100m by lunchtime.

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